

in their opinion, such person is unfit to be discharged, then and in such case said commission shall be authorized to renew the contract by their own authority for one month at a time.

1888, art. 59, sec. 38. 1886, ch. 487, sec. 39.

38. No institution for the custody, confinement or treatment of the insane, whether public, corporate or private, shall be authorized to hold in confinement or custody any number of insane persons exceeding five for compensation, unless there shall be a physician in regular attendance upon such institution or house.*

Maryland Asylum and Training School for Feeble Minded.

1888, ch. 183, sec. 1. 1894, ch. 562, secs. 1 and 4.

39. Maryland Asylum and Training School for Feeble Minded, a corporation duly incorporated by the act of 1888, chapter 183, under the name of "The Visitors of the Asylum and Training School for the Feeble Minded of the State of Maryland," with the powers and duties in said act specified and organized thereunder shall receive, care for and educate all idiotic, imbecile and feeble minded persons of this State. The board of visitors shall consider proper subjects to receive the benefits of said Asylum and Training School who shall present a certificate of the orphans' court or county commissioners of the city or county in which such persons respectively reside that they, their parents or guardians are unable to pay for the maintenance and education in whole or in part; and if such persons or any of them, their parents or guardians are able to pay for such maintenance and education in part, then said visitors shall be at liberty to charge so much as they shall find such persons, their parents or guardians are severally able to pay towards such maintenance and education; but where such persons, their parents or guardians are able to pay in full, the said visitors are permitted to charge such reasonable amount as will cover the expense for the maintenance and education of each person so able to pay; and said visitors shall also be authorized to receive feeble minded children from other States and the District of Columbia when there is ample room in said institution for the same upon such terms and conditions as the board of visitors shall approve; and all moneys so received for board or tuition shall be applied to the maintenance of said institution.

* See art 27, sec 599.